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## MAYOR GAYNOR BADLY WOUNDED

Shot Down by a Discharged  
City Employee.

### WOULD BE ASSASSIN CAUGHT

Overpowered on Board Steamer Where  
Shooting Occurred and Lodged in  
Jail at Hoboken—Exhibits No Re-  
morse Over His Act—Wounded  
Man's Condition Satisfactory and  
He May Recover.

New York, Aug. 10.—William J. Gaynor, mayor of New York city, was shot in the head and seriously wounded as he stood on the promenade deck of the steamship Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse by James J. Gallagher, a discharged and disgruntled employee. Gallagher was almost instantly overpowered and arrested.

The condition of the mayor is satisfactory. He is resting quietly.

This is the latest bulletin on Mayor Gaynor's condition:

"The mayor is awake and cheerful. He has no pain and is conversing freely with his nurses and physicians. The indications are that he will have a good night."

Talking to those at his bedside the mayor said:

"I have been forced into strife and responsibility against my will. I have done my best and this seems to be the result."

### ROOSEVELT WILL BE OFFERED POSITION

### May Become President of Min- nesota University.

Minneapolis, Aug. 10.—Theodore Roosevelt will probably be offered the presidency of the University of Minnesota to succeed Dr. Cyrus Northrop, following a meeting of the board of regents to be held here. Chances for his acceptance are regarded as good.

That a more persistent effort to find a successor to the incumbent, who offered his resignation about a year ago, has not been made is regarded as significant. It argues, according to reports, that hopes of a favorable answer from Roosevelt are teeming in the ranks of the regents.

The plan in mind, it is said, is to offer the presidency of the state university to Colonel Roosevelt upon his arrival in the Twin Cities Sept. 6, when he comes as a guest of the National Conservation congress. The former president takes breakfast at Minneapolis. The offer will be made at this time and his acceptance urged.

Colonel Roosevelt declared he would take the matter under advisement when the presidency of the university was offered him on a previous occasion. That was just prior to his start for Africa a year ago last spring in quest of big game.

Gallagher, the would be assassin, is locked in a cell at Jersey City without bail. He expresses no remorse.

The big liner was gay with flags and ringing with shouted goodbyes when the tragedy occurred. Most of those who had been aboard the ship to say farewell to friends or relatives had gone ashore, but a little group remained to talk with the mayor. They were standing on the port side of the vessel, near the promenade deck forward, and were in the act of posing for a group photograph when Gallagher, unnoticed, pushed his way almost to the mayor's side and fired point blank at his head. He used a 38-caliber revolver, and an examination later disclosed the first cartridge had missed fire. This probably saved the mayor's life, for Gallagher, when he first pulled the trigger, was less than two feet away. Backing away slightly in his excitement, he pulled the trigger a second time and sent a bullet into the mayor's neck below the ear.

Edwards Slightly Wounded.

William H. Edwards, commissioner of street cleaning, and former Princeton football star lunged forward with his 300 pounds just as Robert Adamson, the mayor's secretary, struck Gallagher's arm. As he did so a second shot pierced Edwards' sleeve, inflicting a slight flesh wound on the commissioner's right arm, which remained undiscovered for hours because of the excitement. Unmindful of his wound Edwards hit the man a crashing blow in the face, and they crashed to the deck together. Gallagher struggling with the strength of desperation and pulling viciously at the trigger in an attempt to fire another shot.

But Edwards was too much for him. He rained blow after blow on Gallagher's now bleeding face, while Adamson and Archibald R. Watson, corporation counsel for the city, flung themselves on the struggling two in an attempt to grasp the weapon. When Mr. Watson had obtained possession of it, Edwards and Gallagher continued a bitter struggle about the deck. Edwards now crying and shouting in his anger and excitement, and Gallagher panting as exhaustion began to grip his limbs.

When completely subdued the former football star's vice-like grip, a pair of steel nippers were slipped on his wrists by a special officer aboard the ship and he was rushed through a hooting and threatening crowd off the vessel into an automobile and arrested before Recorder McGovern of Hoboken.

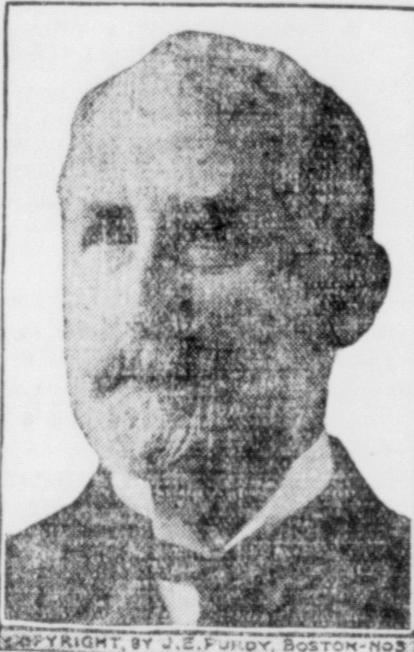
Did Not Lose Consciousness.

In the struggle with the man who attempted to take his life, Mayor Gaynor though badly wounded and bleeding from mouth and nose, did not once lose consciousness. The impact of the bullet did not even thrill him from his feet, but he raised his hands to his ears and with his face contorted with pain, staggered in a daze and leaned limply across the ship's rail until Adamson came to his assistance.

Then some one drew a steamer chair to his side and into this the mayor sank with relief. A few minutes later he was removed to a stateroom where the ship's surgeons temporarily bandaged the wound, preparing for his removal to St. Mary's hospital. He was taken there in a special automobile.

Rufus Gaynor, a son, was the only member of the mayor's family present when he was shot. His wife and other children were at the Gaynor country place at St. James, L. I. When Mrs. Gaynor was notified by telephone of the tragedy she made a spectacular run by automobile, accompanied by her son Norman, crossed

MAYOR GAYNOR.  
Shot and Wounded by a  
Discharged City Employee.



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MILLIONAIRE WANTED TO  
ENDOW DANCING COURSE.

Interpretative Style Needed in Settle-  
ment Work, Girl Says.

John D. Rockefeller, Mrs. Russell Sage or even a philanthropist of less means has a grand chance just now to deliver a blow to the "hugging idea" of the average youthful dancer, according to Miss Edna Nell, the Chicago interpretative dancer. Miss Nell wants some rich person to eliminate the "hugging dance" by spreading the gospel of classic rhythm.

Mr. Rockefeller, she declares, would do the fine arts a service and overturn the unesthetic ideas of modern American youth if he would establish interpretative classes at the University of Chicago and other social settlements.

"Children and young people everywhere would be benefited by getting the interpretative idea," she said. "At present they have too much of the hugging idea. Interpretative dancing brings out the spiritual side of life, and that is reason enough why rich people ought to help."

"Children have clumsiness born in them, so why not teach them something graceful? Good teachers of interpretative dancing, a knowledge of the best music and good thoughts would change the very minds of the children."

WOMAN VALUABLE IN BANK.

Oregon Concern Finds New Method Is Profitable.

One of the new departures in banking methods is the bid that is made for women's accounts. City banks have had a department for women for some time, but only lately have country banks and trust companies taken hold of the plan.

The woman's department of the Portland Trust Company of Oregon was established something over three years ago. It is really a branch of the advertising or publicity work, proceeding upon the lines of popularizing the bank and making it a subject of conversation among the women of the city.

A competent business woman is in charge as superintendent of this department. Every accommodation and courtesy is extended to women patrons in the way of explaining matters of business with which they are unfamiliar, assisting them in the preparation of checks, drafts and other papers when they open an account.

In addition to her duties in the bank the superintendent makes frequent calls upon women whose business it is desirable to obtain and also extends assistance to those who may need it.

If, for example, one of the bank's clients or a stranger is ill and desires advice or assistance in the preparation of any paper or in the handling of any business the superintendent waits upon her at her home and spends as much time as may be necessary in aiding her. In this way some very desirable results have been gained.

PRINCESS IS EQUESTRIENNE.

Unlike Royal Father, Mary of Eng-  
land Rides Well.

Princess Mary, the only daughter of the king of England, is taking riding lessons in a quiet corner of Richmond park. She seems to take to horseback naturally and is already an accomplished rider.

Therein she differs from her brother, the heir to the throne, who, like his father, the king, does not care for horseback riding. The young prince prefers the sea to a horse and doesn't like to take his riding lessons. He has been known to throw his arms around his horse's neck when the animal became skittish.

King George, although he rides each morning in Rottem row for the benefit of his liver, is not a good horseman. His mount is always a gentle animal, guaranteed not to become excited and not to go faster than a dignified trot.

Mystery for Police to Solve.

St. Paul, Aug. 10.—The finding of a decomposed corpse with a bullet hole in the head, near the Wisconsin Central tracks and Forest cemetery has furnished the police a mystery to solve. Suicide is the probable solution, though some of them incline to the theory that the unknown young man was murdered. The body was found lying face downwards, and was in a decayed condition. A bullet wound was found in the head and a hammerless revolver was found some distance from the body.

Luck.

Tommy-Pop, what is luck?

Tommy's Pop—Luck, my son, is what comes to a man who has the opportunity of buying something for a mere song, but who can't sing. Philadelphia Record.

A Bird in the Hand.

A woman is a person who would rather have her husband at home o' nights than in the Hall of Fame. Galveston News.

URGED INDIANS  
TO ASSIST HIM

McMurray Wanted Them to  
Recommend Land Sale.

LETTER PLACED IN EVIDENCE

Introduced by Senator Gore of Oklahoma—Vice President Sherman and Senator Curtis of Kansas Mentioned in It—President Taft Was Opposed to the Fee Clause of the McMurray Contracts.

McAlester, Okla., Aug. 10.—While J. F. McMurray was in Washington last May urging the approval of his contracts by which he and his associates would be able to secure 10 per cent attorneys' fees on the sale of \$30,000,000 worth of land owned by the Indians, the Indians themselves were being urged to send telegrams to Washington recommending the sale.

A few days before May 6, on which date Senator T. P. Gore was charged he was offered a \$25,000 or \$50,000 bribe to induce congress to approve the contracts, McMurray telephoned to Oklahoma, "Send not less than fifty letters and telegrams and keep up the work for a week at different towns. Looks better. We will win, I know."

This evidence was brought out in the investigation of the land deal before the congressional committee. Senator Gore said he introduced it to show the activity at Washington at the time the bribe is alleged to have been made.

Reference to Vice President Sherman and Senator Charles Curtis of Kansas were made in a letter introduced by Senator Gore. It has been explained by Congressman C. E. Creager that he and Richard Adams had called upon President Taft and that the president had announced his disapproval of a plan to reopen the tribal rolls and his approval of settling the Indian land question.

President Taft, it is said, wrote a letter to that effect and declared his willingness to have it given wide publication.

Senator Gore stated he had not introduced the letter because of the mention of Vice President Sherman and Senator Curtis. The latter, together with President Taft, it has already been shown in previous testimony, had declared their disapproval of a plan to reopen the tribal rolls and his approval of settling the Indian land question.

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Eastern Capitalists Interested in Min-  
nesota Project.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 10.—Eastern capitalists have become interested in a project to organize a waterpower company by rebuilding the dam at Hokah, Minn., which was swept away a year ago, leaving Lake Como dry.

If this is done it is proposed to furnish light and power to Hokah, Caledonia, Houston and other towns in Southern Minnesota and operate an interurban railway from Caledonia to La Crosse.

With the destruction of Lake Como one of the most beautiful summer resorts in this vicinity was destroyed. Citizens of Hokah have been working persistently to have the dam rebuilt, restore the lake and save the village as a beauty spot and their efforts have resulted in the raising of \$1,600 for this purpose.

AU TO PASSAGERS ARE HURT

Three Sustain Fractures When  
Thrown From Machine.

Langdon, N. D., Aug. 10.—Robert Work, candidate for county treasurer, had a narrow escape from death while coming to Langdon in his auto. The machine ran over a big rock in the middle of the road. Mrs. Work had her arm fractured, and Mr. Work had several ribs broken; Mrs. McLean, another passenger, had her thumb broken, and all of the other passengers were badly shaken up. Mr. Work's son took the wheel and threw on the emergency brake after his father had been thrown out, or the machine might have turned turtle.

SOUTH DAKOTA BOY KILLED

Gun in Hands of Companion was Sup-  
posed Not to Be Loaded.

Dell Rapids, S. D., Aug. 10.—David Shimer, nineteen years old, was shot and instantly killed here by Martin Sather, who was going through the militia drill with a repeating rifle that was supposed to be empty of shells and which Shimer had been shooting and which had been snapped about a dozen times before it went off. The coroner's jury brought in a verdict of accidental shooting.

Money Package Stolen.

Faribault, Minn., Aug. 10.—A package containing \$1,000 was stolen from the Chicago Great Western depot at Dennison. The agent, John Wright, had just received the package by express for the bank, laid it on the desk and went to the postoffice with the mail. When he returned the money was missing.

Two Miles in One Cocoon.

A woman is a person who would rather have her husband at home o' nights than in the Hall of Fame. Galveston News.

DR. H. H. CRIPPEN.

His Arrest Declared to  
Have Been Illegal.



CRIPPEN'S ARREST ILLEGAL

Point Not Raised by Attorney for  
Accused Man.

Quebec, Que., Aug. 10.—A novel point in favor of Dr. H. H. Crippen and Ethel Le Neve, now under arrest here awaiting to return to England to stand trial for the murder of Belle Elmore, Crippen's actress wife, was raised here a few days before May 6, on which date Senator T. P. Gore was charged he was offered a \$25,000 or \$50,000 bribe to induce congress to approve the contracts, McMurray telephoned to Oklahoma, "Send not less than fifty letters and telegrams and keep up the work for a week at different towns. Looks better. We will win, I know."

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On the authority of a Montreal criminal lawyer it is contended that their arrest was illegal because made by Quebec provincial police in federal territory, as they were seized on an ocean liner while on a navigable river. The Quebec authorities, however, refused to become excited over this argument, and it was denied by Deputy Attorney General Lanctot, who is in charge of the case, that Crippen's attorney has raised such a point.

Judge Langeler of the court of special sessions declared to do so would avail Crippen nothing, and said there was no loophole by which he might take advantage of the method of his arrest.

COMMISSION HOLDS  
UP THE NEW RATES

Will Inquire Into the Reason-  
ableness of Them.

Washington, Aug. 10.—What are known as the back haul tariffs from Portland, Seattle and Tacoma to points in the state of Washington have been suspended by the Interstate commerce commission pending an inquiry into their reasonableness. The tariffs were to have become effective Aug. 1 on the Northern Pacific road, which is now restrained from putting them into effect.

The proposed advances were made by the Northern Pacific in the face of a decision of the commission the rates ought to be reduced 20 per cent. In the hearing of the case last autumn it was agreed by the railroads a reduction of 16½ per cent probably would be fair. In spite of this statement, however, the advance of 25 per cent was made.

The hearing in the matter will be held in Chicago Aug. 29 by George N. Brown, chief examiner for the commission.

Inquiry into the proposed advances in freight rates recently made by the railroads of the Western Trunk Line association will begin in Chicago Aug. 29; the hearing will be held by Judge George N. Brown and C. R. Hillyer, examiners in the interstate commerce commission. It is possible not all of the railroads interested may not be prepared to proceed on that date, but such testimony will be taken as the railroads have in readiness.

When that is exhausted a time will be fixed by the commission for the taking of the remainder.

HAS DETACHABLE AIRSHIP.

Germany Backs Experiments In Novel  
War Vessel.

Count Frederick von Moltke, nephew of the great field marshal, has formed a company to construct a fleet of airships especially designed for military purposes. The government has promised to assist the enterprise as soon as a trial dirigible has been finished and tested.

The vessels will be capable of carrying light guns and a quantity of explosives. The type chosen is a peculiar triple Zorn balloon, which within a single framework of Canadian fir contains really three motor balloons, each with its own motor and each detachable in two minutes, together with its own share of the framework.

Thus on arrival over the enemy the front balloon can be quickly detached to take back to headquarters any dispatches, photographs and so forth; the rear balloon can follow with later news, while the middle part remains to take part in the fight and drop bombs over the enemy. All three parts can be put together again rapidly.

The whole construction is 360 feet long. The effective lifting power after deduction of the airship's own weight and the weight of the cars and machinery is 11,000 pounds. The entire framework can be quickly dismounted in sections. Each part of the triple balloon can also be anchored separately.

Two Miles in One Cocoon.

A single cocoon often yields more than two miles of silk.

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Noted Robber.

Dillon, Mont., Aug.

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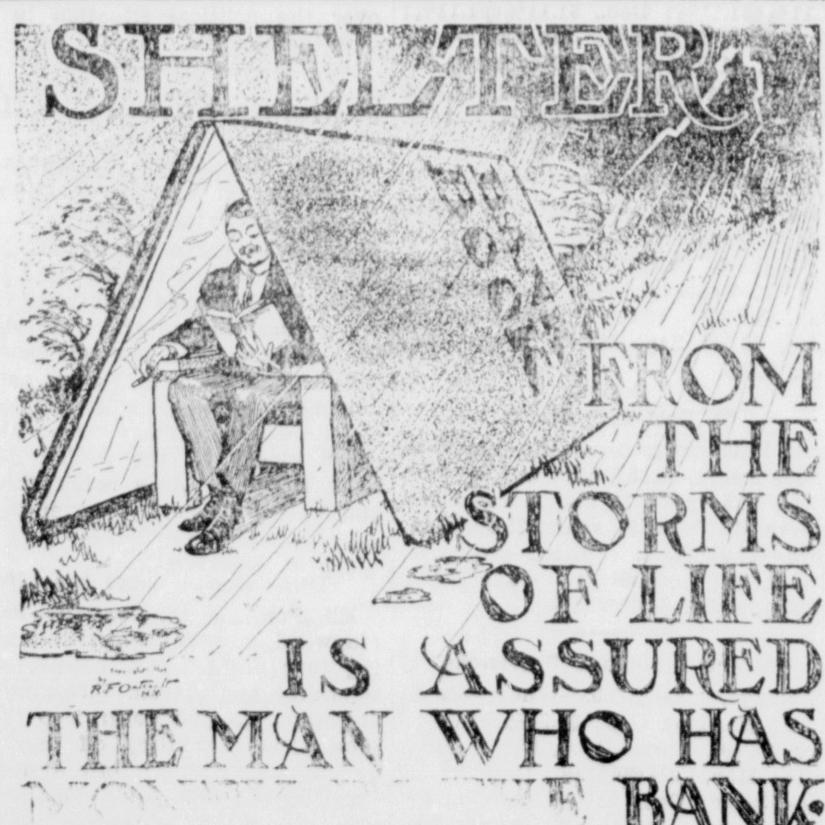
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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10, 1910.

Taft and Roosevelt will both speak at the state fair and that alone will insure one of the largest attendances in the history of the institution.

A Minneapolis woman's club has under debate the question "How can we make a married man happy." These women's clubs are beginning to take up vital questions.

John D. Rockefeller has been arrested and fined for speeding his automobile. The justice fined him \$5 and the populace of Cleveland are sore because the amount was not fixed according to the man's ability to pay.

A Stearns county man has been arrested for making money, and possibly the fear of the law is the reason so many people fail to make money. This fellow raised a silver certificate from \$1 to \$10 and was evidently making money too fast.

Frank White, a staunch friend of reapportionment, is a candidate for reelection to the legislature from Sherburne county. Northern Minnesota is interested in the election of men to the legislature who are known to be favorable to equal rights in the matter of representation.

Morrison county is the first on the ground at the state fair to get their allotted space in shape for the exhibition that that county expects to make. That county has taken the honors several times and the people of that section take great pride in letting the world know that the best country in the northwest is in this section of Minnesota—and the crop exhibits show it.

The newly appointed game warden at Little Falls notifies the public through the press that he will inspect all ice houses, refrigerators and cold storage plants in his territory in his quest for game violations. It is just possible that no violations of the game law will be found and it may be a good thing to notify violators of the law in advance that you are coming to get them.

The Little Falls Transcript states a truth when it says: "It takes nerve to oppose the regular nominees of the republican party for twenty years and then come before the republican voters at the primary election and ask their support as the party nominee." The Transcript editor had evidently just been reading of the filing of Ole Erickson as a republican candidate.

Talk about a one-man party, the democratic party of the state of Minnesota presents that spectacle today and has for some time. For some years the entire political organization was bound up in the late Gov. Johnson and today the leaders dare not make a move, John Lind has been nominated for governor, he has been refused to accept and the office holders are waiting for him to return from Alaska with the hope that they may

Four ball croquet set 55c, 6 ball croquet set 74c. A fine hammock for \$1.50. Model Variety Store, 615 Laurel St. 5616

Miss Ruth Moody returned yesterday from Deerwood where she had been visiting her friend, Miss Lillian Hage. Miss Hage returned with her and will visit with her.

The Brainerd Improvement Co. will today let the contracts covering hardware, structural steel and iron truss-work on their three story brick block now in course of erection.

Dr. C. A. Magnusson will be at the Northwestern Hospital tomorrow, (Wednesday) Eyes examined and glasses fitted. Tuesdays

Mrs. M. J. Reilly went to Detroit today where Mr. Reilly has assumed the management of the Detroit Grocery Co., a wholesale grocery house.

A birthday dinner will be given today in honor of Miss Clara Small and many of the Brainerd summer residents of Hubert came down on this noon's train to attend the function.

The funeral of the late William Mahood was held from the residence 703 North Broadway at 2:30 this afternoon, the Rev. Caskey officiating. Interment was in Evergreen cemetery.

Col. Freeman Thorpe was in the city yesterday with stalks of corn nine feet high. His corn will run 75 bushels to the acre. His clover seed will average 15 bushels to the acre.

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be able to lay down on him to the extent that he will withdraw his opposition to leading a forlorn hope and head their now headless ticket. It is a great party that has but one man in it at a time whom the rank and file think they have a ghost of a show in electing.

Miss Nettie E. Sayles, who for several years was an 8th grade teacher in the city schools, but recently an instructor in the Normal school at White Water, Wis., is in the city visiting friends.

Charles Brown, of Fargo, N. D., is a new barber employed at the Ransford hotel barber shop. He has seen service in the Philippines, serving in the regular army in the 9th and 12th infantry.

For Rent 5 Room House  
717 N. Broadway, \$10. 4 room  
1007 6th Ave., N. E., \$7. Nettleton  
5612

John Thompson, the custom inspector of Ranier, went to St. Paul this afternoon and will remain there a few days, leaving then for a short stay in Detroit and Port Huron, Mich., before returning home.

Mons Mahlum, of the Melvin Lumber Co., John Carlson, the building clothier, and Mr. Olson, of Brainerd, who is connected with the N. P. shops, were here Tuesday trying their luck at trout fishing.—Pioneer Herald.

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The Swedish Methodist church will give a social and entertainment at their church on the evening of Aug. 23rd. The committee is using every endeavor to make this social a success. A large number of tickets have been sold.

The M. & i. passenger set fire to a portion of the shop yards while passing north yesterday afternoon. The blaze was promptly extinguished by Sam Lind and William Dougherty. The fire department of the shops responded quickly.

We will give 1-3 off on ladies hand bags all this week. This will positively be your last chance to get the reduction. Hurry and get first choice. Model Variety Store, 615 Laurel St. 5616

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wright and daughter, Miss Irene, the guests of Mrs. Felix Graham for three weeks, returned today to their home in Hamilton, Ontario, Can. This is their first visit to Brainerd and they were delighted with the city and its surroundings.

A silver medal contest, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. will be held Friday evening, August 12, at the Baptist church. There will be seven contestants, and a special program of music will be rendered. Tickets are 10 cents. The proceeds will be used in a worthy cause. A liberal patronage is desired.

We carry a full line of post cards—2 for 1c and up. All the latest subjects. Cards for everybody, old or young. Model Variety Store, 615 Laurel St., Brainerd, Minn. 5616

A Moorhead telegram says that Anton L. Erickson's laundry in that city was burned yesterday with a loss of \$7,500, and no mention was made of insurance. Mr. Erickson was formerly in business in this city having bought the Edstrom laundry on Laurel street which he operated for some time and sold out to go to Moorhead.

Wyman Hutchins, the 21 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hutchins, died at the family residence 709 5th street south, at 8:15 this morning, of cholera infantum. Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Friday at the house and at 2:30 at the Swedish Baptist church. The afflicted parents have the sympathy of all.

Miss Esther Peterson returned to Brainerd yesterday after a two weeks visit with her parents.—Pillager Herald.

Now is the time to buy that lawn mower and lawn sprinkler. D. M. Lark & Co. 50tf

Edward H. Lawton, clerk of the Ransford hotel, left today for the cities where he will enjoy a few days vacation.

Miss Sigvard Svart of the Northwestern hospital at Brainerd has been visiting friends in the city, returned today to her home in St. Paul.

Miss Luverne Pfremmer arrived this noon from Longville where she had been visiting friends and relatives.

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Visitors at Gregory park have been complaining of some of the practices indulged in by the boys who frequent the park at night. Last night two ladies walked through it and were thoroughly drenched by the boys who used some of the lawn hose. Their dresses were ruined by the water.

Harry Patek returned last night from his trip to Quebec, Buffalo and other eastern cities, being gone two weeks. He went by way of the great lakes and reports a most enjoyable time.

Acute or Chronic—Which?

No matter if your kidney trouble is acute or chronic Foley's Kidney Pills will reach your case. Mr. Claude Brown, Reynoldsburg, Ill., writes us that he suffered many months with kidney complaint which baffled all treatments. At last he tried Foley's Kidney Remedy and a few large bottles effected a complete cure. He says, "It has been of inestimable value to me." For sale by all druggists. mwf

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**A Slight Change.**

Slight changes sometimes make a great difference. "Dinner for nothing" would be agreeable, for instance; not so. "Nothing for dinner."

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**His Wish.**

Tom—I wish this ten dollar bill was a ten dollar debt. Dick—Heavens! Why? Tom—I'd never get rid of it.—Cleveland Leader.

We are sure to get the better of fortune if we do but grapple with her.—Seneca.

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Remember the name—Doan's—

# REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

August 2.

Ellen Carney, widow, to George Johnson, lots 22, 23 and 24, Blk. 71, First Add. assignment, \$600. H. A. Knapp and wife to E. P. Shipp e 75 ft of lots 13 to 18, Blk 68, wd., \$650.

George Merrill, widower, to Hans Christ Hansen Busch, lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, Blk. 5, Second Add. spl. wd., \$1 etc.

Phoebe Porter, unmarried, to W. A. M. Johnston, lots 2 and 3, except southerly 50 acres of lot 3 in 34-44-31, qcd, \$1.

Paul O. Sunds and wife, et al., to Alice D. White lot 2 in 22-138-26, qcd, \$1 etc.

August 3.

Wilder W. Hartley and wife and heirs of Aug. Hildebrandt, decd., part of me se 36-45-31, qcd, \$1 etc.

August 4.

John M. Cain and wife to Louis Roucheau lots 3, 4, 5 and 6 in 4-134-27, wd., \$3016.44.

John M. Cain and wife to Louis Roucheau, lots 3, 4, 5 and 6 in 4-134-27, wd., \$3016.44.

Albert Pagel and wife to Henrik Strom and W. T. Suckon, lands in 17, 23, 26, 27 and 28-138-27, spl. wd., \$1 etc.

Henrik Strom and wife and W. T. Suckon, single, to R. T. Williams, 1/2 se of 17-138-27, spl. wd., \$343.44.

U. S. to Frederick S. Kirkland, nw of se of 28-44-31, cert. copy patent.

Andrew E. Veon, decd., by admr. to Philander B. Nettleton, lot 7 Blk. 21. Sleeper's Add., Admr. deed, \$340.

August 5.

Joseph A. Bealieu and wife to R. A. Beise, lot 11, Blk. 15, Schwartz Add., wd., \$200.

R. A. Beise and wife to Fred Beckley lot 11, Blk. 15, Schwartz Add., wd., \$1 etc.

Henry Towers and wife to Clemons W. Koering, 1/2 lot 5, Blk. 4, East Brainerd, wd., \$175.

Martin Vanhorn, widower, to Louis Roucheau, lots 1-2-7 and 8 in 4-134-27, wd., \$3700.

August 6.

William Harrison, unmarried to E. F. McCausland, und. 3-32 int. of frac. sw of 23-47-29; und. 11-60 int. of w 1/2 nw of 35-47-29; and und. 11-60 int. of lot 1 of 9-47-29, qcd, \$1.

Fred A. Cutler to Laura Jackson se of nw and lots 3, 4 and 5 in 6-46-29, assignment, \$500.

## STONER PROPOSAL IS FAVORED

Commercial Club Expresses Its Opinion on Light Question Very Emphatically

### AGAINST CITY STEAM PLANT

Vote on Little Falls and Crow Wing Propositions is 17 to 2 in Letters Favor

The Commercial Club held a regular meeting last night, about 20 members being present with President Halstead presiding.

After the routine business of the club had been transacted, including the hearing of the various committee reports, the electric light and water works proposition was tackled, and after some discussion C. A. Ahbright offered a motion, which was unanimously carried, that "the club is opposed to the city putting in a steam plant at this time in view of the pressing and present needs of the city."

The matter was then discussed as to which of the propositions to buy power was best for the city. This question was soon decided by a motion of Mr. Zapffe that a vote on the two propositions be taken. The vote resulted in 15 for the Crow Wing proposition and 2 for the Little Falls proposition.

On motion a committee was then appointed by the president to draw up suitable resolutions to be presented to the Water and Light board expressing the views of the club. This committee retired and drew up the following resolutions which were unanimously adopted:

August 9th, 1910.

Whereas, it is the unanimous opinion of the Commercial Club of Brainerd that the erection of a steam power plant by the city at this time is impracticable because of the many present pressing matters, and the grave doubt of the ability of the city to produce electricity by means of a steam plant at as low a rate as by the one named by Mr. Stoner and associates or the Little Falls Power Company, added to which would be the further disadvantage to the city from continual smoke caused by the additional consumption of soft coal within its limits, the uncertainties of operation, due to the fluctuations in the cost of fuel, labor, and the many other complications which might arise and

Whereas, it would require considerable time to further investigate the advisability of the construction of a city steam plant and the delay that would necessarily be caused by legal formalities in the preliminary requirements of providing the means therefore, together with other uncertainties, duly considering the grave and unsettled condition of the bond market, during which time the consumers would have to pay an increased rate while the city is buying power from the Northern Pacific railway company, with the uncertainty of even a continuance of that service, to say nothing of the lack of street lighting until the question is finally disposed of, and

Whereas, the Little Falls Power Company prior to May 6th, 1910, made a proposition to furnish current at the city's limits at a cost of 2½¢ per K. W. H., no other proposition having been submitted to the city up to that time, we recommend the same, deeming that charge very reasonable and not considering a steam plant capable of competing with such a rate, and

Whereas, Mr. Stoner and his associates have since May 6th, 1910, proposed to erect an auxiliary steam plant to be erected temporarily and to be used in cases of emergency in connection with their hydraulic power plant at the Crow Wing River Dam to produce sufficient power for the city's needs, as well as for furnishing power to other consumers which will hasten the development of the mining industry in this country, their rate being as low or lower than any other proposition submitted to the city, besides the numerous pecuniary benefits and advantages to be derived from home institutions, Also for the reason that Mr. Stoner has agreed in his written proposition to refund to the city all money paid for current in excess of two and a half cents per K. W. after the expiration of ninety days from date of contract if accepted at once;

Therefore, Be It Resolved, that it is the opinion of the Commercial Club of Brainerd at this critical time that the Water and Light board and the city council should seriously consider the Stoner proposition and unless assured beyond any doubt that the city could manufacture electricity by any other means for less than he rates given in the Stoner proposition and install their system the equal period of time, accept the said Stoner proposition without delay, reserving the right to renew the contract for an additional term of years at the same rate.

Be It Resolved, that a committee of three be appointed by the Commercial Club to present these resolutions to the Water and Light Board and the city council, requesting these bodies to give them their careful and prompt consideration.

Signed,  
CARL ZAPFFE,  
Chairman,  
WERNER HEMSTED,  
G. D. LABAR.  
R. R. WISE.

A. J. HALSTED, President.  
EZRA SMITH, Secretary.

The question of getting up a state fair exhibit was talked over at length, but no action was taken as it seemed to be the prevailing opinion that the matter had been deferred too long to make an exhibit that would be of real advertising value to the county.

### BAND CONCERT TONIGHT

The Brainerd City Band Will Render the Following Program at the Depot Park

The Brainerd City Band will render the following program tonight at the depot park. There are many new numbers among the selections, especially among the two steps:

March—"87th Regiment Band"—  
Two Step—"Happy Alderman"—  
J. C. Schmidt

March—"Ain't You Coming Out Tonight?" —H. B. Belcher

Waltz—"If I Had a Thousand Lives to Live"—Hall La Forge Schottische—"I'll Make a Ring Around Rose"—J. B. Lunge

March—"The Cleveland Leader"—  
Carl Carlton

Overture—"Little Duchess" —F. Riccina

March—"Commercial Club" —A. S. Coffey

Barn Dance—"Time, Place, Girl"—S. R. Henry

March—"Get in Line" —W. Scoutin

#### Notice

The partnership existing between C. H. Russell and W. L. Russell, known as Russell Bros., is this day dissolved. W. L. Russell continues the business, collecting all outstanding accounts and paying all bills.

W. L. RUESELL.  
August 10, 1910. 581P

### GAME WARDENS COMMENCE WORK

Game Wardens James M. Quinn and W. H. Onstine Descend on Section 10

### ARREST GRASSER AND CLARK

For Having Pike Illegally in Possession—Cases Continued to August 13th

Game wardens James M. Quinn and W. H. Onstine, the newly appointed game wardens went through the tall grass back of town yesterday and at half past two in the afternoon arrested James Grasser and Ben Clark in section 10, township 134 and range 29, bringing them to town last night.

This morning they were arraigned in the municipal court on complaint of game warden W. H. Onstine who charged James Grasser with having unlawful possession on August 9th with the intention of selling 98 wall-eyed pike caught in Gull lake, a lake which had been heretofore stocked with wall eyed pike by the game and fish commission of the state.

The complaint against Ben Clark made by Game Warden W. H. Onstine recites that on August 9th he did unlawfully have in his possession with intent to sell 59 wall eyed pikes caught in Gull lake.

M. E. Ryan appeared for the defendants and County Attorney Fleming for the state. Both defendants admitted bonds of \$50 each and their cases were continued to 10 o'clock August 13th.

### FULL TEXT OF THE SMITH OPINION

City Attorney Ryan Receives Written Opinion of Assistant Attorney General

WRITTEN BY LYNDON A. SMITH

Relating to the Powers of the Water and Light Board as Specified By City Charter

City Attorney M. E. Ryan today received a written communication from Assistant Attorney General Lyndon A. Smith, confirming the opinion briefly expressed in the last telegram as published in yesterday's Dispatch. The letter reads as follows:

"Mr. M. E. Ryan,  
Brainerd,  
Minnesota.  
Dear Sir:—

In reply to your letter of July 22nd relative to the proper interpretation of those sections of the city charter of Brainerd which relate to the powers of the Water and Light Board I have to say that I find, from such examination, that the Water and Light Board has exclusive control of the water and light plant, except that the city council is required to authorize the expenditures exceeding \$500.00, and the city council only has the power of acquiring building sites and of ordering and extending water mains.

I am unable to find other powers reserved to the village council in the charter so far as relates to the maintenance and operation and control of the water and light plant.

I return herewith, under separate cover, copy of your city charter furnished by you.

Yours truly,  
LYNDON A. SMITH,  
Assistant Attorney General.

### SCHOOL BOARD MET LAST NIGHT

Recommend Deferring Improvements Contemplated on New Assembly Room and Gymnasium

### TO ALLOW FOR IT IN NEXT LEVY

Bids to be Received for Ventilating Fan and its Installation in Washington School

The school board met last night and Messrs. Erickson, Wise, Johnson, LaBar, Molstad, Ilse, Larson and Johnson were present. Messrs Congdon and Kaatz were absent.

The finance committee, Messrs. LaBar and Molstad, to whom had been referred the cost of furnishing and remodeling the assembly room submitted the following report concerning the necessity and advantages of placing the room in question in suitable shape for gymnasium and other purposes stated.

"We believe it desirable to exercise the greatest economy in some other way by delaying some contemplated repairs and improvements for the present, so that our budget estimated for repairs and miscellaneous expenses will carry us through the year. Taxes have been paid in quite well and we therefore recommend the immediate letting of the contract at not to exceed \$885. The total expense of every nature going into this room and equipment at this time not to exceed the above amount.

"If it cannot be fully completed for this figure we recommend action be deferred for the present and a provision made in our next levy for sufficient to put the room in good shape."

The discussion developed the fact that the room could not be properly fitted up for that amount owing to the fact that the board has to spend all its available surplus money for the installation of the new ventilating fan at the Washington building.

The building committee, Messrs. Wise, Larson and Ilse, submitted specifications for the new fan to be installed in the Washington building which would cost in the neighborhood of \$1,200.

The building committee was authorized to advertise for bids for the new fan and the installation of the same, the secretary to receive such bids up to seven P. M., August 22.

#### More Iowa People

Among others who have been former residents of Iowa are Mrs. J. N. Biever formerly of Burlington, Iowa. She was born and raised there and later lived in Sioux City, Iowa. W. C. Morris was a former resident of Keota, Keokuk county, Iowa.

#### The Great Parker Shows

The Great Parker Shows which will furnish the amusement features for the carnival to be held in Brainerd under the auspices of the Brainerd Park Improvement Association one week commencing August 1st, affords one of the best and most notable examples in the history of the amusement world of what brains, executive ability and modern business methods coupled with an application of sound ideas, can accomplish for an amusement enterprise.

Entering the field when carnival companies were generally looked upon with more or less disfavor, brought about by the loose business methods employed, and the lax system upon which about everything therewith was run, Mr. Con T. Kennedy, the owner and guiding spirit of the Parker shows, at once determined to put his organization on a firm and legitimate footing, by applying only clean and up-to-date business methods and tolerating no fakirism or misrepresentations on the part of his agents or employees with the result that his company soon came to be recognized as a thoroughly reputable and reliable one.

Another reason for the great success that has been attained by the Parker shows, is the fact that Mr. Kennedy has always realized that the more complete the organization of any enterprise, amusement or commercial, the more complete and effective the direction and control, and with this idea always in mind, he aimed to employ only the ablest and most efficient sides which has always made it possible for the management of the Parker Shows to guarantee a cleaner, better organized, better equipped and better conducted carnival organization than any other company of a like order before the public.

The aggregation of shows and features of the Parker Shows for this season's tour is the largest ever gathered together in the history of the carnival business and compares favorably with that of any of the big circuses on the road. No expense has been spared to secure the newest, best and most novel attractions possible, and it is not exaggeration to state that with a complete and elaborate equipment, a promoting and directing organization of unequalled managerial strength, that the present season will mark the establishment by the Great Parker Shows of a new epoch in the history of the carnival amusements. The free acts offered are alone worth a visit to this festival of fun and frolic.

#### Foley Kidney Pills

Tonic in quality an astringent, quick

in results. For backache, headache,

dizziness, nervousness, urinary ir-

regularities and rheumatism.

### SHETLAND PONY CONTEST

W. D. Cohn, the Parker Show Contest Manager Arrives and is at the Ransford

W. D. Cohn, the representative of the Parker Shows who will have charge of the Shetland pony contest inaugurated by the Brainerd Park Improvement Association has arrived in the city and will make his headquarters at the Ransford hotel. The Shetland pony is a pretty horse of a black color and would delight any child to be the owner. The votes in this contest have been put at the low figure of a penny a vote.

All children entering as contestants will be allowed to drive the pony by making arrangements with the manager, Mr. Cohn. Starting Wednesday evening the pony will be placed on exhibition so that every boy and girl in the city can see what a beauty it is. The successful winner will be crowned king or queen of the carnival as the case may be.

Financial experts of cities where these contests have been held say that such a contest produces a real dearth of pennies. One town ran out of pennies and had to send to St. Paul for more.

### HOW C. A. CONGDON MET HIS DEATH

The Sacramento Union Describes the Wreck in Which the Engineer Lost His Life

#### FELL UNDER ENGINE & SCALDED

Had Been in the Service of the Southern Pacific for Twenty Years

The "Sacramento Union" of recent date contains an account of the way in which engineer C. A. Congdon, formerly of Brainerd met his death. The deceased was a brother of Frank Congdon, Will Congdon and John Congdon. What makes his death of particular sadness is the fact that the brothers had agreed to go on a trip together to their old home in the east and were looking forward with great pleasure to this reunion.

The western paper states, under date of Marysville, Yuba county, Cal., July 18th: "Spreading of the rails at the approach to the Southern Pacific bridge across the Feather river, two miles north of this city at 1:30 this afternoon caused the wreck of the Oregon Express, No. 15, southbound, the death of Engineer C. A. Congdon and Train Dispatcher D. W. Corcoran, and Fireman A. D. Olson, all three of Sacramento. Engineer Congdon was instantly killed when he went over the bridge with his engine and Corcoran was so badly scalded by escaping steam that he died within a few minutes.

"As soon as the express car was cleared from the track the rails were replaced and the engine will be allowed to remain in its place beneath the trestle for a day or so until it can be raised and sent back to the repair shops. The engine is lying on its back, with the wheels in the air, while the position of the cab and tender that wedges it in tells only too plainly the terrible experience through which the unfortunate men passed.

The brake on the engine and tender and the condition of the rails show that the engineer had, in time of peril and danger, stuck to his post and succeeded in setting the brakes that brought the long train of Pullmans and day coaches to a standstill before they could pile up or follow the engine over the trestle. The brake shoes are tightly set, and the track was ground in the effort to stop the train after Engineer Congdon realized that his engine had left the track and was doomed.

"In giving the history of the dead and injured trainmen the paper has the following to say of the late Mr. Congdon: "Engineer C. A. Congdon, who was killed in the wreck of the Oregon express, southbound, near Marysville yesterday, was about 50 years of age and lived at 1012 E. street. He leaves a wife and three children, Dora, aged 26; Walter, aged 25; Elmer, aged 19. Mrs. Congdon and the two younger children are now in Pacific Grove.

"Engineer Congdon had been in the service of the Southern Pacific for nearly twenty years, most of which time was spent on the run between Sacramento and Sparks. Nev. He had been on his present run only about a month."

The picture on the front of the page of the paper shows the engine on its side at the foot of the trestle bridge from which it had fallen. The second picture on an inner page is taken from the top of the trestle and shows the engine almost flat on its back and the heavy drive wheels up in the air.

The express train had been delayed for several hours near Lamoine, Shasta county, caused by the wreck of a freight train the evening before. The train was very slowly approaching the Feather river on the Yuba side, when the wreck occurred. The rails spread, the engine turned turtle, leaving the track and pulling the tender with it. The mail car was tilted up, the front trucks leaving the rails. The rest of the train remained on the track.

"The accident occurred on the approach to what is known as the Oregon bridge across the Feather river, about two miles north of Marysville. Had the train been going fast the loss of life would have reached an appalling figure, as the coaches were filled with tourists.

"Engineer Congdon and Dispatcher Corcoran fell beneath the engine and were literally cooked to death by escaping steam. They were both dead when extricated.

"In describing the wreck Frank L. Saunders, editor of the Lincoln News-

### LINES HOME JOURNAL PATTERNS

## Notes on Late Fall Fashions

The straight, narrow, apparently uncorseted figure; the abnormally narrow skirt, close fitting at the bottom; soft, clinging velvets, satins and chiffons, with allied fabrics in wool and cotton; large hats; wide collars of lace, linings or satin; long, wide scarfs of chiffon or satin; fur trimmings in profusion—all of these features being in line with the general style of the First Empire; this is the fall fashion expression.

Costumes of this character followed the classic, or Greek, lines which had been introduced a few years prior to the era of Napoleon I. In seeking for the most beautiful types of this classic effect, moreover, some of the leading style creators of the present day have gone not to the original Greeks, but to the religious paintings of the fourteenth century, wherein saints and other characters are portrayed which closely approximate those of the Greeks and other ancient peoples.

The main feature of those styles was the abnormally high waistline, raised especially at the back; the trained and flowing skirt, which was rather full and stood out from the figure through making over an underskirt of stiff-body rustling silk or other material; and the close fitting waist, clearly revealing the curves of the figure.

All this is in strong contrast with the new season styles. These have, it is true, the waistline higher than normal, but the skirts, absolutely devoid of stiffening, cling closely to the figure. The skirts, moreover, are short, clearing the ground by three or four inches. The contour of the waist, too, is concealed, the effort being to create the appearance of an uncorseted figure. Again, straight, close, clinging lines are the feature of the present costume, and the general effect



## SHADOW LEGENDS

Zulus Believe the Bodily Shade Is the Future Spirit.

### TAKING AWAY ONE'S SHADOW.

Why Some Races Are Forbidden to Look Into a Dark Pool of Water. The Way Donald McKay Managed to Escape the Clutches of the Devil.

That mysterious counterpart of a human being which lengthens with the day and disappears with the sun, to reappear more faintly with the rising of the moon, which we call a shadow, has always struck the imagination of man. It has played a prominent part in primitive superstition and in later folklore. Shadows or shades was the classical name or figure for the spirits of the departed which still remains in use.

This idea is not confined to civilized races. Among the Zulus the spirit is the shade. Bishop Callaway, whose knowledge of Zulu beliefs and modes of thought was unrivaled, says that the Zulus connect the bodily shade with the future disembodied spirit. They believe that the shadow cast by the body will ultimately become the "Itongo," or spirit, when the body dies, and they say that the long shadow shortens "as a man approaches his end and contracts into a very little thing. When they see the shadow of a man thus contracting, they know he will die. The long shadow goes away when a man is dead, and it is that which is meant when it is said, 'The shadow has departed.' There is, however, a short shadow which remains with the body and is buried with it. The long shadow becomes an ancestral spirit."

Identification of the shadow in any mysterious or spiritual way with the person whose body casts it, naturally leads to respect for the strange second self. To tread on the shadow of a chief is an insult to the chief himself. In the Institutes of Manu, the ancient Hindu law giver, the law runs:

"Let him not intentionally pass over the shadow of sacred images of a natural or spiritual father, of a king of a Brahmin who keeps house, or of any reverend personage, nor of one who has just performed a sacrifice."

There are traces of the survival of these primitive ways of regarding a man's shadow in the English country feeling that it is unlucky to cross the path of a newly married man as he leaves the altar; and in another rural belief that it is unlucky to cross the path of horses ploughing when the sun is shining behind them.

Association between shadows and mirrored representations of the human form is obviously natural, so it is not surprising to find superstitions about the shadow mingled with widely scattered versions of the Narcissus legend. The story of the beautiful youth who became enamored of his own image, as he saw it represented in the water, and languished thereafter till he died, has its origin in the belief that trouble follows from beholding the watery image.

"Let him not look at his own image in water; that is a settled rule," commands Manu, the Hindu law giver.

The reason for the prohibition is to be found in the beliefs of man in a primitive state of civilization. The Melanesians of the Pacific, says a learned observer, say: "There is a stream in Saddle Island, or, rather, a pool in a stream, into which if any one looks he dies; the malignant spirit takes hold upon his life by means of his reflection in the water."

Some such idea as this was probably the root of the Narcissus legend.

The Zulus explain why it is ill to look into the water of a pool by a story of a great beast in the water which can seize the shadow of a man and when his shadow is gone a man no longer wishes to turn back, but desires to enter the pool. He goes in, dies, and is eaten by the great beast which inhabits it. So, says Bishop Callaway, "men are forbidden to leap over and look into a dark pool, it being feared that their shadow should be taken away."

There are other ways in which a man may lose his shadow. There was a temple of Jupiter in Arcadia which, if entered by those who were forbidden to do so, robbed them of their shadows.

In the north of Scotland there are some quaint legends of folk who lost this usual attendant. In Sutherland

they tell more than one story of a wizard named Donald-Duval McKay. Donald went to a school in Italy where the black art was taught by the devil, who sat in the professor's chair, and at the end of each term claimed as his own the last scholar to depart. Breaking up at this academy was naturally a scramble, none wishing to be last.

On one occasion Donald was really the last, but just as the devil was about to seize him, the resourceful Donald pointed to his own shadow, which fell behind him, saying, "Take thou the hindmost!" Accordingly, his shadow was seized, while he himself escapes, and after his return to Scotland was never seen to have a shadow!

A companion illustration of "de'll tak the hin'most," from Abersdeenshire, is a story of a witch helped laid watching his reapers, whose shadow was seized by Satan, and who was ever after shadowless. In literature Chamisso's famous tale of "Peter Schlemihl" is a well known example of the stories of the shadowless.—New York American.

### Old Mosque Legends.

The great Begova mosque in Serajevo is the largest mosque in Europe after those of Constantinople and Selim's mosque in Adrianople. In its courtyard stands an old stone, across the top of which there is a groove precisely the length of a Turkish ell. Tradition says that a pasha placed it there to checkmate the local merchants' habitual use of false measures in defiance of the express commandment of the Koran.

But another of Serajevo's hundred mosques has a much better legend. Before this may be seen the tombs of the seven holy dervishes who were beheaded 200 years ago for a great theft. After the decapitation each body tucked its head under its arm and walked into the mosque. So those dervishes are worshiped as saints to this day.

### A QUEER UNIVERSITY.

Cairo Has the World's Oldest Educational Institution.

"When we think of Harvard or Yale, the former dating from 1638 and the latter from 1701, we think of them as old universities," says a writer in the American Educational Review; "but when we pass to the other side of the world we discover that even the oldest American universities are in reality very young institutions."

The oldest educational institution in the world is the University of El Ashar, Cairo, founded in the year 985 by the great Saladin. It is the central seat of learning for the whole Mohammedan world, as well as a fountain of spiritual life. It occupies an ancient mosque in the Arab quarter of Cairo surrounded by a confusing maze of narrow streets where the population is made up of representatives of every race that follows the prophet.

"The old mosque covers several acres and consists of a series of courts surrounded by long cloisters with low roofs supported by forests of columns. The floors of red tiles are covered daily by a multitude of men and boys, squatting in semicircles around their teachers, who sit with their backs to the columns lecturing in monotones.

"The chancellor of the university is always a descendant of the prophet and is usually a man of ability and learning. He occupies apartments in El Ashar and is not only the supreme educational but the ecclesiastical head of the church of Egypt.

"There is no organization similar to that in modern universities. Any reputable man who desires to teach can obtain the privilege by application and is assigned a column where he may sit and impart the truth as he thinks proper. His fame or ability will attract more or less students and disciples, who pay him fees according to their means."

### Applied History.

First Professor—My dear colleague, I'm a little puzzled. When did the first Peloponnesian war begin? Second Professor—B. C. 431. First Professor—Quite right, quite right. That is the number of my doctor's telephone. I was to call him up and tell him my wife is sick—Exchange.

### Your Own Misfortunes.

Bear your own misfortunes with half the resignation that you hear other people's and you will be happy. It is so easy to tell other people how to be heroic and so difficult to be courageous ourselves.

### AUNTIE'S PIE.

[President Taft traveled seventy-five miles to eat some of his Auntie's pie.]

He speeds as never before he sped,  
Fine frenzy in his eye.  
The horse behind him swiftly fled,  
Yet still he's on the fly.

Does some great danger to the state  
Compel this record breaking gait?

Why, no! He simply has a date

With some of auntie's pie.

His haughty nostrils now distend;  
He gives a happy cry.

Though far away his journey's end,  
Sweet odors bring it nigh.

Yea, though he still must travel miles,

His boyhood memory compiles

A catalogue of all the styles

Of dear old auntie's pie.

The mince, the apple (green, not dried),

Such as no gold can buy;

Squash, lemon, cranberry, beside

The peach's sweet syrup.

His fancy sees the punkin come,

And, though his wheels are still ahum,

He chuckles: "Yum! Just pass me some."

Dear auntie, of that pie!"

His tariff may not touch the heart,

But when his face we spy

Half hidden by a damson tart

We smile, and then we sigh,

For, viewing that first citizen,

We of the cities' wearied men

Are happy, hungry boys again,

All failing aunts' pie.

—John O'Ree in New York World.

### No Cure No Pay.

It is the moral duty which every person addicted to the drink habit owes to his family, relatives, friends, society and the public, also every one who is interested in or knows of one who is addicted to the drink habit, to call upon, write or phone the Neal Cure today for free copies of their guaranteed Bond and Contract, booklet, testimonials, endorsements and bank references which will be cheerfully furnished. Address

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Plane of Living."

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The Neal is an internal treatment given in 30 drop doses without hypodermic injections that cures the drink habit in three days, at the institute or in the home.

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Institute, 887 West Seventh, corner Belknap, Superior, Wis. Take "East E. 8th" car. Both phones.

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### A HOT WEATHER CRY.

Oho, ye winds, ye whistling winds,  
That howl'd and bawl'd all winter,  
Upsetting trees and smashing blinds  
And fences to a splinter.

Where'er you are or near or far  
By torrid summer driven,  
Come back once more and howl and roar

And all will be forgiven!

Alas, ye gales, ye frigid gales,  
That shrieked about the river,  
Your cold breath caused us many wails

And made us shrik and shiver.

We made a scream, "Turn on more steam!"

In frantic hope to chase you.

But now if you would howl a few

We'd gratefully embrace you!

For O you blast, you rattling blast,

If's hotter here than blazes;

If longer much this heat should last

We'll all be 'neath the daisies.

Now as we pant we rave and rant,

And for one thing can please us—

A good old, cold old, chill old blow,

The sort that chatters teeth, you know

And makes the skin all goose flesh grow

And piles in drifts the falling snow

And sends the mercury ten below.

So, Boreas, please come back, old Bo',

Just setting all engagements go,

And blow and blow and blow and blow

Until, oh, joy, you freeze us!

—Paul West in New York World.

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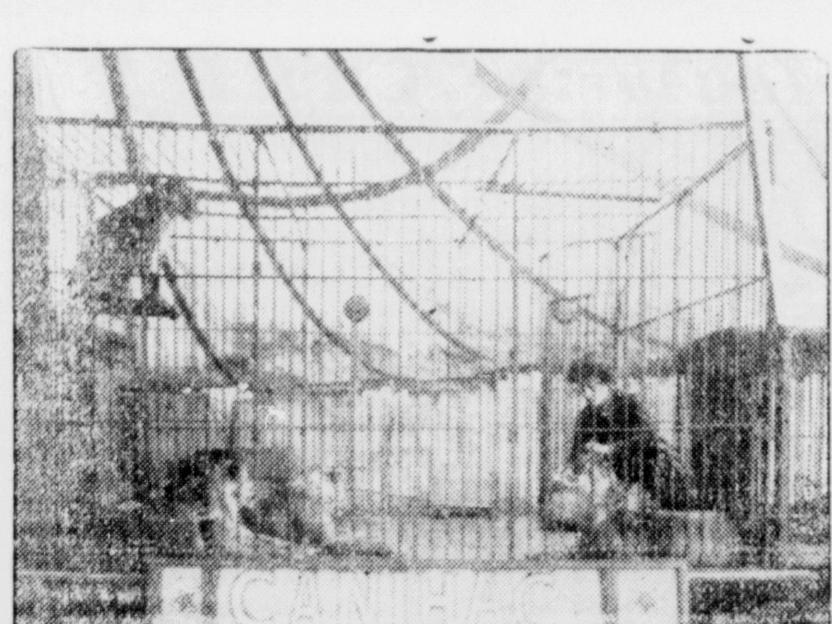
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